



**News Release** 

## Monument Appoints Gerald Ruth to Board

Vancouver, B.C. Monument Mining Limited (TSX-V: MMY and FSE: D7Q1) "Monument" or the "Company" is pleased to announce the appointment Mr. Gerald Ruth to its Board of Directors.

Mr. Ruth is a seasoned financial professional with over 20 years experience in the Canadian capital markets focused on corporate finance, mergers and acquisitions, corporate governance, exchange listing policies, procedures and standards, listed company oversight and market regulation. He has significant board and management experience and has been an officer and director of a number of private and public companies. Mr. Ruth has been CEO and President of Gersan Capital Corp. providing an independent corporate finance consultant since 2003 after 16 years with the Toronto Stock Exchange, including six years heading the listings group. Mr. Ruth is currently Director and Chair of the audit committees of both TSX-V listed Eagle Hill Exploration Corporation and TSX listed Yukon-Nevada Gold Corporation. Mr. Ruth graduated from Wilfrid Laurier University with a Bachelor of Business Administration (Hons.) in 1981 and earned his designation as a Chartered Accountant in 1983.

"I am honored to welcome Mr. Ruth to the Monument Board of Directors" remarked Mr. George Brazier, Chairman of the Board. "His accounting background, extensive corporate finance and public company leadership experience will compliment our Board at a time when the Company is rapidly growing. As an independent director he will enhance our strong corporate governance."

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